

Bancroft Middle School

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District Profile

San Leandro Unified School District is located in the City of San Leandro, which is situated 20 miles southeast of San Francisco. San Leandro is a friendly and diverse city with a colorful heritage and numerous cultural amenities including a 450-berth Marina, two golf courses and a large community library center. San Leandro is well-known for its quiet, well-defined neighborhoods full of charming and unique older houses on tree-lined streets. San Leandro residents are proud of both their neighborhoods and their city, which can be seen in their active involvement in the city's numerous neighborhood and homeowner's associations. Bancroft Middle School is part of the San Leandro Unified School District.

District Vision Statement

The mission of the San Leandro Unified School District is to educate students to achieve and demonstrate academic excellence and become confident, collaborative and competitive in a global society, by utilizing state-of-the-art technologies and innovative teaching strategies within a well-maintained, secure learning environment, in a region rich in heritage and diverse in culture, where we value our traditions while welcoming change.

School Mission Statement

Our mission at Bancroft Middle School to provide all students with the opportunity to develop academically, socially, and emotionally as they move through the middle grades. Every student will have the opportunity to express and expand their talents, their skills and their interests both in the classroom and through a wide range of extracurricular activities. Further, it is our mission to assure that every student is prepared for successful transition to high school and college.

School Motto

Take Care of Yourself, Take Care of One Another, Take Care of Bancroft.

About the SARC

Every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC), by February 1 of each year. The SARC contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. Under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) all local educational agencies (LEAs) are required to prepare a Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP), which describes how they intend to meet annual school-specific goals for all pupils, with specific activities to address state and local priorities. Additionally, data reported in an LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.

- For more information about SARC requirements, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>.
- View this SARC online at the school and/or LEA Web sites.
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/>.
- For additional information about the school, parents and community members should contact the school at (510) 618-4380.

2013-14 Student Enrollment by Grade Level	
Grade Level	Number of Students
Gr. 5	1
Gr. 6	283
Gr. 7	310
Gr. 8	327
Total	921

2013-14 Student Enrollment by Group	
Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	21.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.1
Asian	8.3
Filipino	3.9
Hispanic or Latino	49.2
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1.4
White	12.8
Two or More Races	3.0
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	69.3
English Learners	17.6
Students with Disabilities	12.9

A. Conditions of Learning

State Priority: Basic

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Basic State Priority (Priority 1):

- Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching;
- Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials; and
- School facilities are maintained in good repair.

Teacher Credentials			
Bancroft Middle School	12-13	13-14	14-15
Fully Credentialed	40	43	41
Without Full Credential	3	1	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	0	0	0
San Leandro Unified School District	12-13	13-14	14-15
Fully Credentialed	♦	♦	41
Without Full Credential	♦	♦	0
Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence	♦	♦	0

Teacher Misassignments and Vacant Teacher Positions at this School			
Bancroft Middle School	12-13	13-14	14-15
Teachers of English Learners	0	0	0
Total Teacher Misassignments	0	0	0
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0

* "Misassignments" refers to the number of positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc. Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

Core Academic Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers

2013-14 Percent of Classes In Core Academic Subjects Core Academic Classes Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers		
Location of Classes	Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers	Not Taught by Highly Qualified Teachers
This School	89.88	10.12
Districtwide		
All Schools	91.58	8.42
High-Poverty Schools	91.40	8.60
Low-Poverty Schools	100.00	0.00

* High-poverty schools are defined as those schools with student eligibility of approximately 40 percent or more in the free and reduced price meals program. Low-poverty schools are those with student eligibility of approximately 39 percent or less in the free and reduced price meals program.

Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Instructional Materials (School Year 2014-15)

San Leandro Unified School District sets a high priority upon ensuring that sufficient and current textbooks and materials are available to support the school's instructional program. San Leandro Unified School District held a public hearing on September 20th, 2011 and determined that each school within the district had sufficient and good quality textbooks, instructional materials, and science lab equipment pursuant to the settlement of Williams vs. The State of California. All students, including English learners, are given their own individual standards-aligned textbooks or instructional materials, or both, in core subjects for use in the classroom and to take home.

Textbooks are adopted by the Board of Trustees after review by teachers and parents according to the timeline established by the State of California. All district-adopted textbooks are State Board adopted and aligned to the Academic Content Standards established by the California Board of Education. The most recent textbooks as of January 2012 are illustrated in the chart.

Textbooks and Instructional Materials	
Year and month in which data were collected: December, 2012	
Core Curriculum Area	Textbooks and Instructional Materials/Year of Adoption
<p>Reading/Language Arts</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes</p> <p>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%</p>	<p>Longman Adopted 2011</p> <p>Prentice Hall Adopted 2002</p> <p>Sopris West Adopted 2011</p>
<p>Mathematics</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes</p> <p>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%</p>	<p>Holt, Rinehart & Winston Adopted 2008</p> <p>McDougal Littell Adopted 2008</p>
<p>Science</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes</p> <p>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%</p>	<p>Holt, Rinehart & Winston Adopted 2007</p>
<p>History-Social Science</p> <p>The textbooks listed are from most recent adoption: Yes</p> <p>Percent of students lacking their own assigned textbook: 0.0%</p>	<p>Holt, Rinehart & Winston Adopted 2006</p>

School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements (Most Recent Year)

Age & Condition of Facilities

Bancroft Middle School was originally constructed in 1955 and is currently comprised of 33 permanent classrooms, a library, a staff lounge, a multipurpose/ cafeteria room, two playgrounds, two computer labs, and a gymnasium. Recent renovations to Bancroft Middle School include the installation of new roofing and ventilation systems in 2009, and classroom paint and lights in 2011.

Cleaning Process

The principal works daily with four full-time custodians to ensure that the cleaning of the school is maintained to provide for a clean and safe school.

Maintenance & Repair

District maintenance staff ensures that the repairs necessary to keep the school in good repair and work orders are completed in a timely manner. A work order process is used to ensure efficient service and that the highest priority is given to emergency repairs. At the time of publication 100% of the school's restrooms were in good working order.

Deferred Maintenance Budget

The State School Deferred Maintenance Budget Program provides state matching funds on a dollar-for-dollar basis, to assist school districts with expenditures for major repair or replacement of existing school building components. Typically, this includes roofing, plumbing, heating/air conditioning, interior/exterior painting, electrical systems, and flooring. For the 2012-2013 school year, the district allocated \$164,000 for the deferred maintenance program. This represents .22% of the district's general fund budget.

School Facility Good Repair Status (Most Recent Year)
Year and month in which data were collected: 1/15/2014

System Inspected	Repair Status			Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
	Good	Fair	Poor	
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	[]	[]	[]	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	[]	[]	[X]	2nd flr middle stairwell and skylights: all but 2 of the 50+ ceiling tiles were repaired or replaced. G Wing music room: Hole in ceiling. Door was adjusted and closes. Office: 1 ceiling tile is missing. Rm 103: 1 ceiling tile is missing. Rm 203: 1 ceiling tile is loose, 1 ceiling tile is missing. (noted there is no sink in this room) Rm 208: 2 ceiling tiles are loose Rm 213: 1 ceiling tile is loose, 1 ceiling tile is missing. S Wing-S1: 1 ceiling tile is missing. S4: 1 ceiling tile is water stained.
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/ Vermin Infestation	[]	[]	[]	
Electrical: Electrical	[X]	[]	[]	Rm 205: 4 ceiling lights are out. (did not re-inspect this room)
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/ Fountains	[]	[]	[]	
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	[]	[]	[]	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	[]	[]	[]	
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/ Doors/Gates/Fences	[X]	[]	[]	G Wing Gym: Lock is missing on storage door...Door knob is missing- using slide lock to keep doorr shut. ADA lift does not work, but they are using portable lift for stage area when needed
Overall Rating	Exemplary []	Good [X]	Fair []	Poor []

B. Pupil Outcomes

State Priority: Pupil Achievement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Pupil Achievement State Priority (Priority 4):

- Statewide assessments (i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress and its successor the Standardized Testing and Reporting Program);
- The Academic Performance Index; and
- The percentage of pupils who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and the California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study.

CAASPP Results for All Students - Three-Year Comparison

Subject	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced (meeting or exceeding the state standards)								
	School			District			State		
	11-12	12-13	13-14	11-12	12-13	13-14	11-12	12-13	13-14
Science	51	56	56	50	52	51	60	59	60

* Science (grades 5, 8, and 10) assessments include California Standards Tests (CSTs), California Modified Assessment (CMA), and California Alternate Performance Assessment (CAPA). Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

STAR Results for All Students - Three-Year Comparison

Subject	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced (meeting or exceeding the state standards)								
	School			District			State		
	10-11	11-12	12-13	10-11	11-12	12-13	10-11	11-12	12-13
ELA	43	43	41	45	48	46	54	56	55
Math	22	24	27	36	37	37	49	50	50
HSS	43	32	34	39	37	40	48	49	49

* STAR Program was last administered in 2012-13. Percentages are not calculated when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Academic Performance Index Ranks - Three-Year Comparison

API Rank	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
Statewide	3	2	2
Similar Schools	1	1	1

* For 2014 and subsequent years, the statewide and similar schools ranks will no longer be produced.

Grade Level

Grade Level	2013-14 Percent of Students Meeting Fitness Standards		
	4 of 6	5 of 6	6 of 6
7	13.3	30.8	25.1

* Percentages are not calculated when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

2013-14 CAASPP Results by Student Group

Group	Percent of Students Scoring at Proficient or Advanced	
	Science (grades 5, 8, and 10)	
All Students in the LEA	51	
All Student at the School	56	
Male	59	
Female	51	
Black or African American	44	
American Indian or Alaska Native		
Asian	89	
Filipino	57	
Hispanic or Latino	51	
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander		
White	79	
Two or More Races		
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	50	
English Learners	24	
Students with Disabilities	22	
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services		

* CAASPP includes science assessments (CSTs, CMA, and CAPA) in grades 5, 8, and 10. Scores are not shown when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

API Growth by Student Group – Three-Year Comparison

Group	Actual API Change		
	10-11	11-12	12-13
All Students at the School	13	-12	8
Black or African American	36	-27	0
American Indian or Alaska Native			
Asian			
Filipino			
Hispanic or Latino	16	-6	8
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander			
White	-32	16	29
Two or More Races			
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	26	-10	2
English Learners	-5	-3	21
Students with Disabilities		2	-10

* "N/D" means that no data were available to the CDE or LEA to report. "B" means the school did not have a valid API Base and there is no Growth or target information. "C" means the school had significant demographic changes and there is no Growth or target information.

C. Engagement

State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the Parental Involvement State Priority (Priority 3):

- Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each schoolsite.

Opportunities for Parental Involvement

Parents and the community are very supportive of the education program at Bancroft Middle School. Parents may participate in the School Site Council, the PTA, United Parents of Bancroft Group, and the English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC.)

There are also ample volunteer opportunities for parents to be involved within the athletics and music programs as well as with the school play and in the classroom. Parents also are able to volunteer their time with supervision of students.

Parents who wish to participate in Bancroft Middle School's leadership teams, school committees, school activities, or become a volunteer may contact the Parent Facilitator at the main office at (510) 618-4380 ext. 3612.

State Priority: School Climate

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the School Climate State Priority (Priority 6):

- Pupil suspension rates;
- Pupil expulsion rates; and
- Other local measures on the sense of safety.

School Safety Plan

The safety of students and staff is a primary concern at Bancroft Middle School. The school is in compliance with all laws, rules, and regulations pertaining to hazardous materials and state earthquake standards. The School Site Safety Plan is updated every year in the fall. The key elements of the School Site Safety Plan include communication, preparation and safety. Fire, earthquake, stay in place, and intruder drills are conducted on a monthly basis throughout the school year.

The School Site Safety Plan was last thoroughly reviewed in the 2009/2010 school year. The 2014/2015 Bancroft administration is in the process of revising the School Safety Plan for recommendation to the School Site Council for approval.

To ensure student safety, staff members supervise students at all times before and after school, and during all breaks. Any visitors to the campus are required to check in and check out at the school's office and wear the proper identification badge at all times.

Suspensions and Expulsions

School	11-12	12-13	13-14
Suspensions Rate	19.1	10.0	11.4
Expulsions Rate	0.2	0.0	0.0
District	11-12	12-13	13-14
Suspensions Rate	10.5	7.7	7.6
Expulsions Rate	0.1	0.1	0.0
State	11-12	12-13	13-14
Suspensions Rate	5.7	5.1	4.4
Expulsions Rate	0.1	0.1	0.1

* The rate of suspensions and expulsions is calculated by dividing the total number of incidents by the total enrollment x 100.

D. Other SARC Information

The information in this section is required to be in the SARC but is not included in the state priorities for LCFF.

2013-14 Adequate Yearly Progress Overall and by Criteria		
AYP Criteria	School	District
Made AYP Overall		
Met Participation Rate: English-Language Arts		
Met Participation Rate: Mathematics		
Met Percent Proficient: English-Language Arts		
Met Percent Proficient: Mathematics		
Met API Criteria		

2014-15 Federal Intervention Program		
Indicator	School	District
Program Improvement Status	In PI	In PI
First Year of Program Improvement	2011-2012	2009-2010
Year in Program Improvement	Year 3	Year 3
Number of Schools Currently in Program Improvement		8
Percent of Schools Currently in Program Improvement		100.0

* DW (determination waiver) indicates that the PI status of the school was carried over from the prior year in accordance with the flexibility granted through the federal waiver process.

Academic Counselors and Other Support Staff at this School	
Number of Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)	
Academic Counselor	1.5
Counselor (Social/Behavioral or Career Development)	0
Library Media Teacher (Librarian)	0.8
Library Media Services Staff (Paraprofessional)	1
Psychologist	.6
Social Worker	0
Nurse	0
Speech/Language/Hearing Specialist	.6
Resource Specialist	4
Other	2
Average Number of Students per Staff Member	
Academic Counselor	634

* One Full Time Equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution												
Average Class Size				Number of Classrooms*								
				1-20			21-32			33+		
Grade	12	13	14	12	13	14	12	13	14	12	13	14
Gr. 5		1	1		6	5						
Gr. 6		27	24		19	25		28	18		25	29
English	22.7	23	21	17	17	19	3	8	16	14	12	4
Math	22.5	25	26	14	10	10	15	7	6	5	12	10
Science	28.2	29	29	0		1	20	21	20	0		
SS	33.3	32	31	1	2	1	0	3	8	17	15	11

* Number of classes indicates how many classrooms fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

FY 2012-13 Teacher and Administrative Salaries		
Category	District Amount	State Average for Districts in Same Category
Beginning Teacher Salary	\$50,218	\$41,243
Mid-Range Teacher Salary	\$69,449	\$64,893
Highest Teacher Salary	\$91,913	\$83,507
Average Principal Salary (ES)	\$114,780	\$103,404
Average Principal Salary (MS)	\$115,812	\$109,964
Average Principal Salary (HS)	\$143,943	\$120,078
Superintendent Salary	\$226,205	\$183,557
Percent of District Budget		
Teacher Salaries	47	40
Administrative Salaries	7	6

* For detailed information on salaries, see the CDE Certificated Salaries & Benefits webpage at www.cde.ca.gov/ds/fd/cs/.

FY 2012-13 Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries				
Level	Expenditures Per Pupil			Average Teacher Salary
	Total	Restricted	Unrestricted	
School Site	\$4,694	\$342	\$4,352	\$74,584
District	♦	♦	\$4,333	\$74,515
State	♦	♦	\$4,690	\$67,762
Percent Difference: School Site/District			0.4	-0.7
Percent Difference: School Site/ State			-21.4	11.1

Types of Services Funded at Bancroft Middle School

- Federal, ECIA/ESEA/IASA (Title I)
- K-5 Class Size Reduction
- Economic Impact Aid (EIA)
- Peer Assistance & Review
- Special Education Master Plan
- Instructional Materials
- ROC/P Entitlement
- Supplemental Counseling
- Gifted & Talented Pupils
- School & Library Improvement Program
- Special Education Transportation
- School Safety & Violence Prevention
- Title II Teacher Quality
- Title III English Learners
- Federal, Special Education, Entitlement per UDC
- Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act / California Partnership Academy
- Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act / California Partnership Academy
- CAHSEE
- 21st Century
- Homeless Children
- Medi-Cal Billing
- Gear up
- After School Safety
- Mental Health
- QEIA

Professional Development provided for Teachers at Bancroft Middle School

To work towards improving student achievement, Bancroft faculty members participate in Professional Learning Communities (PLC) and common instructional practices training, twice a month for each. Department meetings and staff meeting also provide many opportunities for professional development.

Teachers may also receive assistance through the Peer Assistance and Review (PAR) Program. The PAR program uses exemplary teachers to assist permanent and beginning teachers in the areas of subject matter knowledge and teaching strategies. Staff development is also supported for classroom implementation through BTSA (Beginning Teachers Support and Assessment) Support Providers and District & Site Instructional Coaches.

The district supports staff development through three Professional Growth Days each year.